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PATENT
5659-01000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Wellington, et al

Serial No.: 09/841,447

Filed: April 24, 2001

For: IN SITU THERMAL PROCESSING
OF A HYDROCARBON
CONTAINING FORMATION USING
A NATURAL DISTRIBUTED
COMBUSTOR

§ Examiner: Unknown
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§ Group Art Unit: Unknown
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§ Atty. Dkt: 5659-01000/EBM

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37 C.F.R. § 1.8

PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

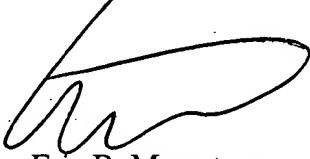
Applicant petitions to make the above-referenced application special due to a joint inventor's age. As evidenced by the enclosed declaration of the joint inventor, George Stegemeyer is over sixty-five (65) years of age.

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It is believed that no fees are due in association with the filing of this petition. If any fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Conley, Rose & Tayon, P.C. Deposit Account Number 501505/5659-01000.

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